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APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL

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Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing under 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(b) is the patent application of  
INVENTOR(S): Stuart I. Smedley and Guangwei Wu  
FOR: IMPROVED FUEL FOR A ZINC-BASED FUEL CELL AND REGENERATION THEREOF  
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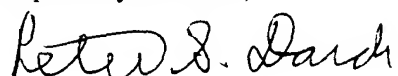
- ☒ Specification and Abstract - 31 pages.
- ☒ Drawings - 7 sheets (Figs. 1-7).
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[ X ] This application claims the benefit of U.S. Provisional Application No. 60/410,569, filed September 12, 2002.

Respectfully submitted,



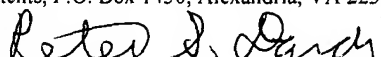
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